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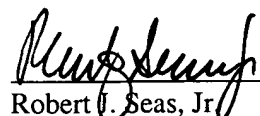
Pursuant to Applicants' duty of voluntary disclosure under Rule 56, and for the Examiner's convenience, we submit herewith:

- a) a form PTO-1449 listing eleven (11) references of potential relevancy; and,
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No certification or fee is required.

Regarding the concise explanation of relevancy requirement for foreign language documents, Applicant encloses herewith a copy of a corresponding Communication from a Foreign Patent Office citing such documents indicating the degree of relevance found by the foreign office.

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